IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Inche application of: Gabriele, Alfred M. et al.

Application No.: 09/833,036

Filed: 04/11/2001 Examiner: Versteeg, S.

For: METHOD FOR LEVELING AND COATING A SUBSTRATE AND AN ARTICLE FORMED

Group No.: 1753

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AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL

1. Transmitted herewith is an amendment for this application.

STATUS

2. Applicant is entitled to small entity status.

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3. The proceedings herein are for a patent application and the provisions of 37 C.F.R. 1.136 apply. Applicant petitions for an extension of time under 37 C.F.R. 1.136 (fees: 37 C.F.R. 1.17(a)(1)-(4)) for two months:

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No additional fee for claims is required.

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Sir:

THOUD TOO AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

In response to the Election/Restriction mailed April 3, 2002, as extended, Applicant respectfully requests reconsideration.

AMENDMENT

Please amend the above-identified application as follows:

In the claims:

Please cancel claim 2.